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SUBJECT: CONSULAR CONFERENCE IN TUNIS

1. THE DEPARTMENT PLANS TO HOLD A CONSULAR CONFERENCE IN TUNIS FROM APRIL 19 THRU 22.
2. CONFERENCES WILL BE CHAIRED BY SCA AND WASHINGTON

DELEGATION AND WILL INCLUDE REPS FROM SCS, VO, PPT, NEA/EX AND POSSIBLY INS, S/IG, DG/PER, VOLAGS, AND CONGRESSIONAL STAFFERS.

3. AGENDA ITEMS WILL INCLUDE: A) VISAS - VISA SECTION MANAGEMENT, PUBLIC RELATIONS, PERSONNEL PROBLEMS, ILLEGAL ALIENS, 1976 INA AMENDMENTS, FRAUD, REFUGEES, AUTOMATED NIV PROJECT, ETC. B) SCS - ARREST CASES AND PRISONERS, REPATRIATION AND ASSISTANCE, DEATHS, ESTATES, AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES DURING CRISES, AND EMERGENCIES. C) PASSPORT AND CITIZENSHIP - REGISTRATIONS, NEW PASSPORTS, INNOVATIONS, EMERGENCY PROCEDURES, LOSS OF NATIONALITY, AND PASSPORT AND IDENTITY FRAUD.

4. ALL POSTS ARE REQUESTED TO ADVISE DEPARTMENT ASAP OF PARTICULAR CONSULAR ISSUES THEY WISH TO DISCUSS AT CONFERENCE. PLEASE BE AS SPECIFIC AND DETAILED ABOUT NATURE OF ISSUES AS POSSIBLE. DEPARTMENT PLANS TO ASK POSTS TO BE PREPARED TO MAKE PRESENTATION AT CONFERENCE ON AT LEAST ONE ELEMENT OF LOCAL NEA CONSULAR ISSUES AND WOULD HOPE TO SELECT RESPECTIVE ASSIGNMENTS FROM AMONG THOSE IDENTIFIED BY POSTS THEMSELVES.

5. DEPARTMENT HOPES CONFERENCES WILL BE ATTENDED BY ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM EACH POST, FOR SMALLER CONSTITUENT POSTS. IF THIS PRESENTS A PROBLEM, PLEASE ADVISE DEPARTMENT SOONEST. NAMES AND DATES OF STAY SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO DEPARTMENT SOONEST WITH INFO COPY TO TUNIS. FOR FULLEST EXCHANGE POSSIBLE, DEPARTMENT WISHES TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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STRESS THAT FOR POSTS WITH MORE THAN ONE OFFICER PERFORMING CONSULAR WORK, REP SHOULD BE THE PERSON MOST CONCERNED WITH CONSULAR DUTIES, AND NOT NECESSARILY THE RANKING OFFICER OR PRINCIPAL OFFICER. POSTS SHOULD ATTEMPT TO SEND OFFICER WHO EXPECTS TO REMAIN AT POST FOR REASONABLE PERIOD FOLLOWING CONFERENCE. HOWEVER, IF TRANSFERS RESULT IN NEWLY ASSIGNED OR ABOUT TO DEPART PERSONNEL ATTENDING CONFERENCE, THEY SHOULD BE BRIEFED OR IF POSSIBLE, BRIEF THEIR SUCCESSOR OR PREDECESSOR ON SIGNIFICANT LOCAL CONSULAR ISSUES.

6. TRAVEL AUTHORIZATIONS SHOULD BE FUNDED AGAINST POST PROGRAM ALLOTMENTS. COSTS ARE TO BE INCLUDED IN THE FINANCIAL PLAN WHICH WILL BE REQUESTED BY THE BUREAU AT A LATER DATE.
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